



Beef: **April 8** at 4:30 Market/Breeding Beef Workshop. We will evaluate a pen of steers and talk about feeding. This will also be considered a Livestock Judging workshop. Call Lola Brogger at 285-6730 for directions.

Beef weigh-in **April 15** at 1:00 at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds. Remember we will be leading the steers across the scale. We will also be doing a showmanship workshop after the weigh-in, so bring your show sticks.

There are a lot of open shows around the state this year, they are great practice and a good learning experience also we will count attending one show towards your three required workshops. The dates that I have are Choteau, April 30, Mountain Magic, May 20, Lewistown June 8-10, Deerlodge June 17 and Dillon June 24. If you have any questions call J.D. at 539-0404

The 12th Annual Mountain Magic Junior Classic will be held at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds on May 20th. This Steer and Heifer show is open to all 4-H, FFA, and Junior Association members. If you have not attended the MMJC in the past and wish to be added to receive entry forms please contact: Sally or Buck Smith Home: 388-7238 or Work: 585-9692



Clothing and Textiles Project: April 22, 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm, Valley Bank (Main Branch) in Belgrade, 98 N Broadway--basement. We will be continuing to work on your garment. If you have not already started on your garment, please remember: beginner sewing members need to limit themselves to either elastic-waist shorts, skirt or pajama bottoms using a medium-weight cotton or cotton/polyester woven, non-stretch fabric (flannel is okay). Other skill level members should pick a garment with at least one technique you have not done in the past. Please bring: pattern and appropriate yardage of fabric (be sure to pay attention to width of fabric); all notions (including interfacing) as listed on the back of the pattern envelope; sewing machine and necessary accessories; extension cord; sewing tools including straight pins, tape measure, hem gauge, marking utensil, fabric scissors, paper scissors, seam ripper, extra sewing machine needles; notebook; paper; pen. For any help picking your garment project, buying fabric or any questions, please call Janell Barber at 388-3091.



Crochet, Knitting, & Embroidery Projects: Crochet, Knitting, and Embroidery meetings will be held at 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm on the fourth Monday of every month at Rocky Mountain Supply. As a reminder, in order to complete your project and be allowed to display your work at fair, please plan on attending a minimum of three meetings per 4-H year. Please be considerate of Rocky Mountain Supply and let Kelley know if you are not able to attend. Rocky Mountain Supply charges for use of their facility, and generously allows our projects to use their facility free of charge. It is unfair that we have that night reserved if there is not going to be anyone in attendance. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Kelley Phipps at 406-599-1454.



Dog Agility: 4-H Dog Agility will start on Thursday, April 6th from 4:15 - 5:30. We will meet at Livestock Barn #2. Please contact Nancy Creel at 522-7748 if you have any questions. The first session will be a workshop working on commitment to obstacles. There will be quite a bit of lecture. If your dog can not sit calmly then please wait till the following week to bring your dog.



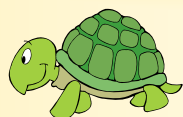
Food: MSU students in Family and Consumer Sciences Education/Extension and Nutrition students have teamed up to provide fun lessons that help 4-Hers learn and help MSU students practice teaching.

Mondays: Foods Level 2- Tasty Tidbits and Level 3-You're the Chef.

Wednesdays: Beginning Foods.

Thursdays: Level 1-Six Easy Bites.

All sessions will be held from 6:00 – 7:30 in the Food Lab (Room #120) in Herrick Hall on campus. Herrick Hall is located on the corner of Cleveland and 7th Avenue. Please plan to pay \$2 per session (a total of \$20) to help cover the food costs (MSU has graciously donated the use of the lab and some grant money was provided by the Gallatin County 4-H Foundation to cover basic supplies).



Pocket Pets: Meetings are the 2nd Friday of every month at 6:30, next meeting on April 14th. Meetings will be held at Diane Taylor's house, 7600 Thorpe Rd., Belgrade. Call Diane at 580-6127 or 388-0978 for directions or if you have any questions.